

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION [SEC File No. 270-136, OMB Control No. 3235-0157] Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

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Extension: Form N-8F

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget a request for extension of the previously approved collection of information discussed below.

Form N-8F (17 CFR 274.218) is the form prescribed for use by registered investment companies in certain circumstances to request orders of the Commission declaring that the registration of that investment company cease to be in effect. The form requests information about: (i) the investment company's identity, (ii) the investment company's distributions, (iii) the investment company's assets and liabilities, (iv) the events leading to the request to deregister, and (v) the conclusion of the investment company's business. The information is needed by the Commission to determine whether an order of deregistration is appropriate.

The Form takes approximately 5.2 hours on average to complete. It is estimated that approximately 135 investment companies file Form N-8F annually, so the total annual burden for the form is estimated to be approximately 702 hours. The estimate of average burden hours is made solely for the purposes of the Paperwork Reduction Act and is not derived from a comprehensive or even a representative survey or study.

The collection of information on Form N-8F is not mandatory. The information

provided on Form N-8F is not kept confidential. An agency may not conduct or sponsor,

and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a

currently-valid OMB control number.

The public may view the background documentation for this information

collection at the following website, www.reginfo.gov. Comments should be directed to:

(i) Desk Officer for the Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of Information and

Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10102, New Executive

Office Building, Washington, DC 20503, or by sending an e-mail

to: Lindsay.M.Abate@omb.eop.gov; and (ii) Charles Riddle, Acting Director/Chief

Information Officer, Securities and Exchange Commission, c/o Candace Kenner, 100 F

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notice.

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